

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

A marked up copy of each amended claim pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.121(c)(1)(ii) appears on the page immediately following the amended claim.

9. (Amended) A computer program product comprising:
- a computer program processable by a computer system for causing the computer system to:
 - detect a status indication associated with a previous boot attempt by the computer system; and
 - in response to the status indication indicating a local boot attempt state:
 - retrieve a first boot image from a remote location; and
 - boot the computer system using the first boot image; and
 - a storage apparatus from which the computer program is accessible by the computer system.
14. (Amended) A method performed by a computer system comprising:
- detecting a status indication associated with a previous boot attempt by the computer system; and
 - in response to the status indication indicating a local boot attempt state:
 - retrieving a first boot image from a first remote location; and
 - booting the computer system using the first boot image.